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From the Amſterdam Courant, dated March 31.

Warſaw, March 12.

LEtters from Lemburg adviſe, That Bialacerkiew is not yet retaken from the Coſſacks, the latter inſiſting, before they deliver it up, that the Poles give them very good Aſſurance that the Articles of the Capitulation ſhall be faithfully kept on the part of the Poles, being very ſhy of truſting themſelves into their Hands, ſince the cruel Uſage one of the chief Coſſacks met with lately from the Waywod of Kiow; an Encounter happen'd not long ſince between 2000 Coſſacks near Ladeczyn, and ſome Poliſh Troops commanded by the Caſtellan of Wilda, in which, after a ſharp Diſpute, the former were beaten, but yet 200 of the Poles were kill'd in the Action. In the Neighbourhood of Caminiec, a Company of the Gentlemen of thoſe Parts having drawn together into a Body, Ravage and Plunder like Enemies, pretending they muſt make up their own Loſſes as well as they can tho' at other Peoples Coſt. In caſe the Army of the Crown do not receive the Arrears that are promis'd them, nor are reinforc'd with two Regiments of Dragoons which they expect in good time; and that General Steinbock be marching back from Samosk (as 'tis given out he is) into the Waywodſhip of Chelm; 'tis fear'd the Confederacy lately enter'd into by the Crown's Army, in favour of the King of Poland, will ſignifie nothing; the rather, becauſe the Swedes, to ingratiate themſelves with the Nobility, have declar'd, That all the Effects of the Nobility that are in their Hands, ſhall be reſtor'd to their reſpective Owners on very eaſie Terms. The Diet of Great Poland is broken up without coming to any Reſolution; the Heer Paninsky, and others, embroiling all their Debates. And 'tis fear'd the like turbulent People will raiſe the ſame Heats, and clog the Proceedings of the Diets of the other Provinces. The Nobility of Podlachia and Maſuria will ſend their Deputies to the Aſſembly that is to be held here, and ſo will the Waywodſhip of Lublin. On the other ſide there are ſome Waywodſhips, particularly that of Inowroclaviz, who will not comply with the Cardinal Primate's Summons to meet here. General Reinſchilt's Army at Blonia is reinforc'd by 1500 Swedes led by General Wrangel, and 20 Pieces of Cannon.

From the Harlem Courant, dated March 31.

Marienburg, March 13. 'Tis hoped the *Senatus Conſilium* that is to meet here on the 16th, will put the Affairs of this Kingdom on a better foot than they are at preſent; moſt of the Palatinates have already declar'd themſelves in favour of our King; and doubtleſs if Peace be not ſettled before this Aſſembly breaks up, the War will break out with greater Fury than before. Mean time, in expectation of the worſt, our Preparations of War are forwarded with the utmoſt Application. The Swedes very much apprehend the junction of the Saxon Cavalry canton'd not far from Warſaw, with a Body of Lithuanians; inſomuch that General Reinſchild has ſent to the King of Sweden for more Force, accordingly 3000 Men have already joyn'd him; the King of Sweden will in a ſhort time advance, with the reſt of his Troops, to Warſaw.

The laſt Advices from Dantzick ſay, That the *Senatus Conſilium* call'd by the King of Poland to meet at Marienburg on the 16th of March, is not like to come to ſo good an Iſſue as his Poliſh Majeſty had promis'd himſelf: Several of the Nobles refuſing to give their Attendance in a Place garriſon'd by Saxon Troops. And add, That the King of Sweden is broke up from Lublin, and is on his March towards Warſaw; whither the Engliſh Envoy is to follow him, his Swediſh Majeſty having appointed him a Convoy of 500 Men, and promis'd to give him Audience in that City. 'Tis ſaid the Poles have no mind to have a Peace preſcrib'd them by Mediators, but will themſelves propoſe Terms of Accommodation to their own liking.

Kinſale, March 19. Yeſterday Morning came in here Her Majeſty's Ships the Dover and Monk from Cruizing, who were Convoy to the Fleet bound for the Weſt-Indies, mention'd in my laſt, 200 Leagues to the Weſtward; The Captains report, That they ſaw not one Ship in their paſſage, except two Men of War bound for Galloway, in order to Convoy an Eaſt-India and ſeveral other Ships for England.

Shields, March 27. This day arriv'd here above 100 Sail of laden Colliers, under Convoy of the Portland and Newport Men of War. At the ſame time came in Rogers Maſter, who reports, That he met a ſmall French Privateer who gave Chaſe to him; but the Maſter, was ſo well provided with ſmall Arms, that he kill'd 14 Men of the Privateers Crew, which oblig'd the French Men to ſheer off without any Booty.

Dartmouth, March 28. Three days ago the Swift Privateer of London brought into Saltcomb a French Tartane from Lisbon laden with Oranges and Lemmons, &c. bound for Roan; and this day the ſaid Privateer brought in here another Ship of Gottenbourg, being a Fly-Boat of 300 Tons, laden with Salt from Rochel.

Briſtol, March 29. Yeſterday in the Afternoon arriv'd here the Thomas and James, ----- Roberts Maſter, who reports, That he came from Barbadoes on the 4th of February, in company with the Fleet which was going with Land Forces on board for Martineco, and left them in ſight of that Iſland where they expected to be joyn'd with ſome other Forces from Antegoa and other Iſlands. The Maſter adds, That the Land Forces on board the ſaid Fleet which ſail'd from Barbadoes were very Healthy, and when joyn'd with the Reinforcements abovemention'd from Antegoa, &c. would make a Body of about 6000 Men.

Harwich,

Harwich, March 30. Yesterday came in here about 40 Sail of Light Colliers without Convoy: At the same time came in the Unity from Lisbon, laden with Lemons and Oranges, bound for the River.

Deale, March 30. Her Majesty's Ship the Dunwich is return'd back into the Downes, but the rest of the Queen's Ships, and outward-bound Merchant Ships last mention'd, continue still here.

London, March 31. This Afternoon came Advice of the Arrival of 6 East-India Merchant Ships in the Downes; they came last from Barbadoes, and are the Scipio, Martha, Rooke, Herne, China Merchant, and Rising Sun.

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